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October 31, 2012

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> RE: MUR 6657 Todd Akin

> > Todd Akin for Senate

G. Scott Engelbrecht, Treasurer

Dear Mr. Kappel:

This is in response to your letter dated October 23, 2012, requesting a 30-day extension to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. Considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on or before November 29, 2012.

If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Kim Collins, Paralegal

Complaints Examination and Legal Administration